

# The Evening Bulletin,

With which is Incorporated, the  
"Independent."

DANIEL LOGAN, Editor.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 28, 1895.

## ALL HAWAII.

Requests for due consideration of the public needs of the country districts were, at the special session of the Legislature, in most cases relegated to the regular session next year. Of those that were ostensibly complied with in the appropriations made, it is exceedingly doubtful if more than a small proportion will be put into effect. According to the Government's own showing, its financial situation is badly strained, and its obligations for the remaining seven months of the period tower vastly over its ordinary resources of revenue. It may as well be understood by the Government, however, that the country districts will not brook having their interests made secondary or subservient to those of Honolulu when the regular session assembles. All through the Provisional Government era, including the time that its councils ruled the Republic, the country districts received but scant consideration outside of the absolutely fixed expenditures for schools and roads. Appropriation bills supplementary to the regular Act of 1892 fell thick and fast during that transition period, in which expenditures for various objects in Honolulu were greatly increased, while there was nothing special given to the wholly unrepresented islands of the group other than Oahu. There was a method in this gross partiality and high-handed sectionalism. The provisional authorities from first to last convulsively catered for foreign opinion upon the results of their calling themselves to rule, and concentration of their efforts at the capital as the most conspicuous part of the commonwealth was the card they sagaciously played. It is true that they did not make a great deal out of the policy, but they succeeded in a few respects to make a bustle that, to superficial observers, had a semblance of business. The statement has gone unrefuted that, even in always favored Honolulu, less was done in permanent improvements during this period than in many preceding ones. There is not a single great monument of progress to mark the provisional period. The great improvement of Honolulu's sidewalks did not have its origin in that period, but in the wholesome legislation of the previous one, when the party now in power could not elect a man on the island of Oahu, even under the restricted franchise for Nobles which excluded the masses of the much maligned native yeomanry. Other legislation in the line of progress of the same origin was made a dead letter, simply because the funds required to effectuate it were absorbed by the soldier and secret service expenditures, enormously increased beyond those of the former regime.

There was a sound in the mulberry trees—or the coffee trees if more topically appropriate—at the special session, however, which indicated a revival of independence throughout the country. Murmurs deep if not loud were heard against the selfish domination of Honolulu and the wasteful administration of affairs till then exclusively in the hands of the Honolulu oligarchy.

Even some of the Senators and Representatives sent to the Legislature from, if not by, the capital were before long seized by the contagion, with the result upon several occasions of showing that they did not deem themselves sent there simply to register the decrees of the reigning junta. This spirit of independence is more likely to gain strength than lose it before the regular session, and the belief that such will be the case gives hope that a public policy for all Hawaii will then take shape. It is too much an effort of the imagination to think that such a policy will, on that occasion, be put completely into effect. The Legislature does not represent enough of the people for that. Yet the keynote of a truly national policy may be fully expected to be sounded at that time, both in and out of the Legislature, which will start the music of emancipation for the general elections of a year later. When that event comes around the probability is that the people now ostracised from the body politic for their honest opinions, being a majority of the qualifiable electorate, will see it to be their duty to register as voters for the protection of their own rights and the advancement of the interests of the whole commonwealth.

## A GREAT BLUNDER.

Little need be added to the vigorous protest of a correspondent in this issue against the selection of the old immigrant sheds for a cholera hospital. This is positively the worst break the Board of Health has yet made. It is even a greater blunder than that made many years ago, when the leprosy hospital, now for some time abandoned, was stationed in the most conspicuous position at the harbor entrance. That site was well enough so far as the public safety was concerned, but the site of the cholera hospital is eminently dangerous to a populous section. It is customary elsewhere to locate pesthouses in isolated but wholesome localities. The site of this one is neither isolated nor wholesome. It is close to a teeming congeries of dwellings, hovels intermingled with neat cottages so as to give an effect more grotesque than picturesque. There is not a more sun-baked and sultry place in town, nor one more cheerless and desolate in the landward prospects. If there is still to be a cholera outbreak, heaven be prayed that it may be averted until the Board has time to retrieve this gross blunder.

## OBSERVATIONS.

It is said that the fine Italian hand of the Attorney-General is responsible for the failure of the Hawaiian Republican Club to pass the resolutions asking for the release of political prisoners.

It is needless to reiterate that the BULLETIN is not responsible for the opinions of its correspondents. The partiality of Mr. Marques for the homeopathic school of medicines is therefore his own affair. There are local physicians, we are informed, who follow either school according to circumstances. It is to be feared, however, that even if Mr. Marques is right, there would not be enough of his favorite medical skill to go round in the event of an epidemic.

When the S. G. Wilder left San Francisco, the important seaman shipping case was under advisement by the Superior Court. As previously stated in the news columns of the BULLETIN, this case is to decide whether deserting American seamen may be imprisoned. It is claimed on the part of the sailors' organization that the law under which deserters are imprisoned, which is a survival of the old English statutes, is unconstitutional in making a class distinction to the prejudice of seamen as compared with other hired labor.

The text of the Land Act in places would afford an excellent lesson to school children, in examples of how English should not be written. It is replete with gross blunders in syntax and has many words inaccurately selected to express the precise meaning intended. The draftsman in many cases has apparently never learned that "neither" requires "nor" after it, and that "or" is the correlative of "either." In one place, to be found in today's instalment, either the word "otherwise" is employed where the context would indicate "elsewhere" as the proper term, or else there is a serious fault of construction that gives the section ambiguity.

## In Boating Circles.

The various crews seem to be wasting much valuable time in trying to circumvent each other or throw them off the track. The latest story is to the effect that one of the clubs, for the purposes of this item it shall be called the Healan, will not make any efforts to win the senior race, but will take some of their senior men and put them in the junior crew, so as to have a dead cinch on one race.

There is a lime famine on hand already.

# Timely Topics TO

## "TRIBUNE"

The Tribune is a new bicycle which we are introducing to the Honolulu public. There is probably no piece of machinery, except a watch, where outside appearances can cover as vast a difference in quality as a bicycle. A wheel may be built to look all right as far as outside looks go, for a comparatively small cost, but it is difficult to judge whether a frame has one coat of enamel or four, or whether the plated parts have been run in nickel fifteen minutes or three hours. Also in the mechanical work it is not easy to tell when looking at a finished bicycle whether the cones and bearing posts are drilled, tapped and formed in one operation and used in the shape they come from the first screw machine, or whether they are first formed over size and then finished to gauge on hardened arbors at several times the cost. Of this latter class is the Tribune.

The purchaser of a Tribune may feel assured that he has got the finest bicycle in both design, quality and finish that good machinery and experience can produce.

All Tribune wheels are fitted with the Cycloidal Sprocket, patented. Any good mechanic knows that a gear wheel with teeth wrongly shaped, will not drive machinery properly and that the slightest variation from the correct form will cause friction and consequent wear. The object of the Cycloidal Sprocket is to remove this useless friction and cause the chain to drive as freely as the running of ball bearings.

The advantage of the Cycloidal Sprocket over other kinds is apparent when the rider is climbing a hill or forcing his wheel rapidly on an up grade or against a head wind, as a saving of 15 per cent in the power is guaranteed by its use.

We saw a little sawed-off individual trying to climb the Victoria street hill the other day on his wheel but he couldn't make it. He only came near enough to it to cause him to lose his temper. The fifteen per cent extra power given by the Cycloidal Sprocket would have enabled him to have ridden up that and similar hills easily.

Bicycle riders are invited to call and examine this new labor-saving invention. It will cost them nothing.

While we are on the subject of bicycles it may not be amiss to say that there are wheels within wheels, and one of them is the Gate City Stone Filter. With this filter in the house, the boiling of water is not necessary to protect the household from cholera bacilli, microbes and other wriggling things too horrible to think of and about which the learned physicians disagree and dispute.

We have a large Stock of the Gate City Filters on hand. They are reliable and cheap, and we guarantee them to eradicate all microbes and impurities of any kind.

The Hawaiian Hardware Co. Ltd.  
Opposite Spreckels' Block,  
507 FORT STREET.

# WAIANAE.



SATURDAYS . . . .

— AND —

. . . . SUNDAYS.

Trains will leave Honolulu at 9:15 a.m., and 1:45 p.m. Returning will arrive in Honolulu at 8:11 p.m. and 5:55 p.m.

## ROUND TRIP TICKETS:

1st Class, . . . . . \$1 75  
2nd Class, . . . . . 1 25

F. C. Smith,

Gen'l Pass. and Ticket Agent.

## Notice.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE UNDERSIGNED are requested to settle the same on or before September 1, 1895. ORDWAY & PORTER, Honolulu, Aug. 12, '95. Furniture Dealers. 74-td

## Notice.

DURING MY ABSENCE ON KAUAI during the next two months all orders for milk or wood from Waianae Ranch will have the careful attention of Mr. Schleisner who will be at the ranch office to receive telephone messages from 6:30 to 8 p.m. All orders for either milk or wood will be promptly filled.

D. P. R. ISENBERG.  
69-td.

## NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE UNDERSIGNED for 90 days or over are requested to make immediate settlement. Those not complying by Sept. 15th, will have their accounts placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.

A. R. ROWAT,  
84-td D. V. S.

THE N. B. . . . .

# Insect Chaser.

To save plants, flowers, trees, etc., from the destruction of insects, you will do well to communicate with the undersigned as he manufactures a Pure Vegetable Compound free of any poisonous substances; therefore, it does not kill the insects, but keeps the same off the plants, and will not injure the plants or fruits. "Roses," "Grapes," etc., will not suffer any longer but grow healthy and pretty by the use of the Compound and to convince the public of its success, I shall perform a trial order or application without charge.

N. BREHAM,  
Liliha street, near School,  
16-td

# Wm. G. Irwin & Co.

(LIMITED).

Wm. G. Irwin, - President and Manager  
Claus Spreckels, - Vice-President  
W. M. Giffard, - Secretary and Treasurer  
Theo. C. Porter, - Auditor

## Sugar Factors

—AND—

## Commission Agents.

AGENTS OF THE

OCEANIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY  
OF SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

# This

is what

Talks

H. E. Walker, Esq.

Agent "CLEVELAND BICYCLES."

DEAR SIR:—It is a pleasure to be able to add my praise to the justly renowned merits of the CLEVELAND BICYCLES. I have ridden a CLEVELAND for more than a year, and have never had occasion to find the slightest fault with its Mechanism or Stability. I heartily recommend the CLEVELAND to all persons who contemplate the purchase of a good wheel. Sincerely yours,  
REUBEN A. DEXTER.

H. E. Walker,

81-td Sole Agent.

# SEPT. 1st

— AT —

# J. J. EGAN'S.

New Goods New Goods New Goods  
New Goods New Goods  
New Goods  
New Goods New Goods  
New Goods New Goods New Goods

Fort Street.